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Germany	26 28 898	Dec 29, 1977

A copy of the above-listed foreign reference is enclosed, together with a completed form PTO-1449.

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translation of claim 1 of the reference. It is believed that the drawings are self explanatory. This reference was cited by the Examiner in Applicant's counterpart application in China.

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